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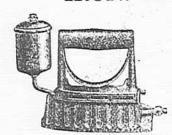
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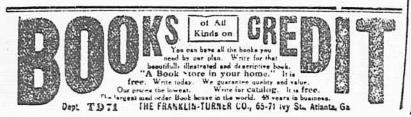
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OUR SUMUULS.

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10) PROF. WILLIAM H. HAND.

ent in the public schools of the ite was 144.668, while the average indance was only 103,304. The eral census taken seven years bere 1900, gives South Carolin. 7.972 white children between the tes of 5 and 20 years, while out gal school age is between 6 and years. It is safe to assert that rely sixty per cent of the white illdren of the State are enrolled in ly kind of a school, and not over rty per cent are in average attenince. In 1900, thirty-six per cent the white children between the ges of 10 and 14 years were no prolled in any school, public of rivate. In the same year Massachuetts had only six per cent of her hite children of the corresponding ges out of school, Connecticut had seven per cent, and Michigan eigh

ears of age, only 792 fewer white wice our population, had 1,141; for the South Carolina of tomorrow, selves from the bondage of igno-South Carolina when a few highly and control the destinies of the people. This responsibility has been shifted to the shoulders of the masses, and now we are forced to consider the training of the masses. Only yesterday Hon. O. B. Martin gave out this: "Several educational leaders in New England franktheir money and building up their schools in order to retain and maintain their industrial supremacy. They realized that we have advanlead, if possible, through the power of trained brains and trained hands' Carolina doing to meet this open challenge from New England? Who are these South Carolina er than build \$100-house in which

white children not in school, and why are they not in school? Some are the sons and daughters of parents themselves ignorant and unable to appreciate or to understand what education means to their children and to the State; some are children of fathers and mothers, greedy and to make wage-earners and breadwinners out of their young untaught offspring; a few are the children of parents epposed to education, because they have known some educated scoundrels; a very few are he children of parents who actually need the labor of their children to eke out a living, and many are the children of fathers engressed in material affairs and mothers recreant o duty. Many of these children are shops at a few cents a day, and in for children, while hundreds of others are roaming the streets and country lanes-the training grouns for dlers, vagrants, and enemies to law. order, and decency.

mile out school houses, hood and youth are overwork and to terms, and incompetent idleness. Close confinement at man he people may still show nal labor is dulling, stifling, and decommendable e acadinal purpose structive to the childhood; idleness very child t school is poisonous and ruinous to youth. schools are in session. Attendance upon school may be used a go out of a ver, as a corrective for both evils. The if the children at- State, in order to protect at least ad it regularly and with the pur- one class of children against overe of getting the most possible out work, has passed a child labor law. South Carrina attending the abortiveness of that law is a common mols" in 1907, the white enrole jest. To illustrate: In 1905, one thence a direct line to a point halfne school within two months. In

superintendent of that town (a man right of way of Waters Ferry Road in favor of schools), the school su- to the Hooker Pond, thence down Saperintendent went from house to house in the mill village enquiring Orangeburg County, from mouth of for these missing children. In one afternoon he located twelve of them, every one of them unlawfully en-

on the pay-roll. Now, the child of the lazy, greedy,

selfish parent is at work, and not in school. The child of the ignorant and indifferent parent is neither Both children need to be educated: the State has aircady decreed that the tanpayers shall establish and ted to vote on the establishment of maintain schools for both. There 177 native white illiterates over logremains but one logical thing to do -compel the parents of both to send lliterates than the State had in their children to school. There is 1870, thirty years previous. At the but little logic in compelling people ame date Connecticut, with nearly to pay taxes to support the schools, Carolina, had but 1,958 white illit- children who most need the schools erates over 10 years of age. Again, deliberately to keep them from the are also set forth in said petition. outh Carolina had 15,643 native benefits of the schools. The poores pode Island, with four-fifths the compelling his parents to send him ust 550. We had 17,839 native laws are aimed at the selfish and invhite illiterates between the ages different parent, not at the child. of 10 and 19 years; Michigan, with Of what advantage are good teachers, long school terms, and fine Connectivut had 140, and Rhode school houses, unless the children sland 100. Is it reasonable to hope attend the schools? In a recent election to increase the local school tax with her load of helpless illiterates. in a district in North Carolina, where and sections which have freed them- of local option compulsory law, a certain taxpayer made this declararance? The day is forever gone from tion: "If you vote to compel the children of this district to go to the children into the schools, I am five hundred (500) square miles. opposed to any further tax." That NOW THEREFORE, I, M. F. An-

man's argument has no answer. Some opponent to a compulsory law says, "You have not enough school houses and teachers to take care of the thousands of children hereby orderly told us that they are spending not in school." That argument is worthless, unless we are willing to Intelligence and skill will win every be built or the teachers employed time in every race. What is Sout's until there is a need for them? Would it be wise for a farmer to let a \$500-crop waste in the fields, rath-

to store it?

The last argument of the opponexts to compusory attendance is that it can not be enforced without truant officers, and that truant officers must be paid . Certainly. The present child labor law of this State is a dead letter, because no provisselfish, who are more than willing ion is made for its enforcement. And the police of Charleston, Columbia and other places, have to be paid. but it pays to pay them. We are perfectly willing to pay an officer of the law to arrest little negre boys in a 10-cent crap game, but i is too much to pay an efficer of the law to see that a lazy selfish father sends his child to school. We are paying today in actual money ever year five times as much in trioute to the industrial supremacy of New at work on the farm, in stores and England and other sections, as it would cost us to put every white he cotton mills making good wages child in the State in school for six months in the year! What eccuomists we are! And what philosophers we try to be!

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nsure after awhile when "a little

You will surely die. All men de

You are more likely to die within : week or a year, than your house b

Death destroys at once and irre

vecably, in whole or in part the in

wants of those you love, the income

that was counted on to feed and

If your life is not insured at all

Your Wife and Babies Carry the Risk

clothe and educate your chidren.

or for an insufficient amount,

WHICH IS MORE URGENT?

FIRE INSURANCE.

LIFE INSURANCE. Important? Oh yes, you intend to

letter able to do so."

Important? You fully realize it. You would not allow your house to remain nainsured overnight.

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YOU CARRY THE RISK.

Your friend has had his home inshow for the money paid out.

Your frend has had his life insured these 30 years and is now an sured these 30 years, and was had old man. He is fortunate in having no fire. He has been fortunate in lived, and he has something now to show for the money paid out. His that though he has nothing now to cosh value affords a comfortable sup port for his own declining years.

WHICH IS MORE URGENT?

Agent for SOUTHEASTERN LIFE IN SURANCE CO., Spartanburg, S. C. 150c.

State of South Carolina. Executive Department. WHEREAS, Petitions signed by more than one-third of the qualified electors of those portions of Aiken, Lexington and Orangeburg Counties proposed to be cut off to form the new county (commonly known as Edisto County) and embraced in the

following lines, to-wit:

Beginning "at a point about one mile below Merritt's Bridge at Drury's Bluff on South Edisto River. Aiken County, thence north to point on the east boundary of right of way of Two Notch Road, where said road crosses Noien Branch, thence the eastern boundary of said road to Southern Railway, crossing near Samaria Church, Lexington to lies are the white children Barring some notable exceptions, the County, thence a direct line to the Jones' New Mill on Black Creek of our city school superintendent; faile south of the residence of J. E. lost more than twenty pupils from Dunbar, thence a direct line to Daniel Hutto Mill on Cedar Creek, thence company with one of the cotton mill along the southern boundary of lem Branch to North Edisto River said branch to a direct line to old Jack Pond on little Beaver Creek, thence a direct line to 21 mile post gaged at work in the mill, though on Ninety-Six Road, thence a direct only three of their names appeared line to Tampa Mill on east Good Land Creek, thence a direct line to 149 mile post on Southern Railroad, thence a direct line to Stroman's Mill on Dean swamp, thence down Dean Swamp Creek to South Edisto River, at work nor in school; he is idling, thence up said river to point of baginning," were filed with me as Govhe State has already decreed that portion of these counties be permitportion of these counties be permit-

a new county. AND WHEREAS, The boundaries of the proposed new county, the number of inhabitants, the taxable property, as shown by the last tax rewice the white population of South then permitting the parents of the do not run nearer than eight miles to any court house now established,

AND WHEREAS. The report of outh Carolina had 15,643 native benefits of the schools. The poorer of a majority of the commission applied the work of the commission appointed by me to ascertain the facts opulation of South Carolina, had to school. Compulsory attendance as provided for in the Acrs of 1905 as to whether the requirements of the Constitution as to area, distance. wealth, population, et cetra, have been complied with, has been filed. stating that the law had been fully complied with, and the number of square miles in the proposed new county (commonly known as Edisto to cope successfully with those States they have recently enacted a kind County) is four hadred and twentysix (426) square miles, leaving to the County of Aiken more than five hundred (500) square miles, to the County of Lexington more than five trained men of leisure could direct school, increase my tax as you hundred (500) square miles and to please; if you are not going to put the County of Orangeburg more than

> sel, as Governor of the State of South Carolina, by virtue of the power conferred upon me by the Constitution and laws of this State, do

1. That an election be held in the territory embraced within the admit that the white people of the proposed new county on the fiteenta State are actually unable to take day of December, A. D. 1908, upon care of their children. Let some the question of creating the said new tages and great resources in the philanthropist offer to aid South county, and that, at such election, South, but they propose to keep the Carolina in matters educational, the qualified electors within the prothen you get an answer to that ques- posed area shall be allowed to vote tion. Will the school houses ever upon said question, those favoring the proposed new county to vote "Yes" and those opposed to vote

> State and county elections of the Counties of Aiken, Lexington and Orangeburg respectively shall make al! necessary arrangements for holding said election, shall appoint managers and do all other things necessary for the holding of said election; that the county supervisors of the said counties respectively shall have prepared printed tickets and furnish same t the commissioners of election to sent out to the managers of election for the use of the voters. 3. That at the said election the

question of a name and county seat for such county shall also be submitted to the said qualified electors. 4. That said election shall b held under the same rules and regulations as are provided by law for regular county elections; that the managers shall be sworn before entering upon the discharge of their duties and shall open the polls at seven o'clock in the morning and keep the same open until four o'clock in the afternoon, when the polls shall be closed, the votes counted, a return of the number of votes pelled for and against, signed and cerified to by the managers of election which, together with the ballot box, ballots and poll list, shall be turned over to the commissioners of election, as required by Jaw: that the commissioners of election shall her, as now required by law, tabuate the vote and make return there of to the Gasernor of the State an

IN THISTITION'S VIRGINION.

ea tracement sort my band and core-Sixed at Calumbia this seventeenth lay of October in the year of or Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight and in the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-third. M. F. ANSEL.

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